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Applicant : Steven T. Jaffe, et al.  
Application No. : 09/433,730  
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Title : DUAL MODE QAM/VSB RECEIVER  
  
Grp./Div. : 2634  
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Docket No. : 33754/LTR/B600

**REQUEST TO WITHDRAW ABANDONMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Commissioner:

Applicants' attorney received correspondence from the Patent and Trademark Office dated February 5, 2003 stating that the above-identified application is abandoned. The reason given is that applicants failed to file a timely response to the Office action mailed July 17, 2002. In fact, a proper response was filed and an acknowledgment from the Patent and Trademark Office was received. Enclosed are copies of the response with certificate of mailing and the postcard receipt.

Withdrawal of the abandonment is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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